PTO/SB/08A (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449/PTO

Sheet

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known				
Application Number	10/634,403			
Filing Date	08/05/2003			
First Named Inventor	Albin Lloyd Kasper			
Art Unit	2633			
Examiner Name	N/A			
Attorney Docket Number	A. KASPER 1-17-26			

			U. S. PATENT	DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Document Number  Number-Kind Code <sup>2 (f known)</sup>	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
the,		<sup>US-</sup> 6,300,619 B1	10/09/2001	Aksyuk, et al.	
My		US- 6,289,151 B1	09/11/2001	Kazarinov, et al.	
Thi		<sup>US-</sup> 6,275,629 B1	08/14/2001	Eggleton, et al.	
In		<sup>US-</sup> 6,201,631 B1	03/13/2001	Greywall	
They		<sup>US-</sup> 5,629,790	05/13/1997	Neukermans, et al.	
h		<sup>US-</sup> 5,259,051	11/02/1993	Burack, et al.	
		US-			
-		US-			<del></del>
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ
		Country Code <sup>3</sup> Number <sup>4</sup> Kind Code <sup>8</sup> (if known)				L
						Ļ
				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		₽
						┢
						t
					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	F

		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Examiner Signature	4 1	- /	Date	10/0/
	ju	m for the same of	Considered	149/04

\*EXAMINER: Initial in reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at <a href="https://www.uspto.gov">www.uspto.gov</a> or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that Issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.